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FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM

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E.O. 11652:N/A

TAGS: EMIN, TZ

SUBJECT: MICA AVAILABILITY

REF: A)STATE 239909 B)DAR 4107 C)DAR 4231
DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCY (DLA) INFORMS DEPARTMENT
THAT THE THOMAS ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC., A DEFENSE CON-
TRACTOR, HAS A STRONG INTEREST IN ACQUIRING THE OVER
OVER EXTRA EXTRA SPECIAL MICA MENTIONED IN REFS B AND
C. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO APPROACH APPROPRIATE GOT
OFFICIALS, RELAYING THE INTEREST OF THOMAS ELECTRIC (TE)
AND SUGGESTING THAT THEY MIGHT DIRECTLY CONTACT MR.
BERNARD WAXENBAUM, AT 100 RIVERVIEW DRIVE, WAYNE, NJ,
07470 TELEPHONE: (201) 696-5200.

2. FYI: A) THE RARE MICA GRADE IS USED IN MANUFACTURING
CATHODE RAY TUBES USED IN ASSEMBLING WEATHER RADAR SCOPES
AND PERMITS IMAGE RETENTION FOR UP TO 30 MINUTES.
ADEQUATE SUBSTITUTES DO NOT CURRENTLY EXIST. US AIR
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FORCE LABORATORIES ARE PRESENTLY CONDUCTING R&D ON
SUBSTITUTES BUT NO TECHNOLOGICAL BREAKTHROUGHS ARE EX-
PECTED IN THE NEAR FUTURE. B) ALTHOUGH DLA HAS ACTED
AS AN INITIAL MESSENGER IN CONVEYING TE'S INTEREST, DLA
HASTENS TO POINT OUT THAT A PURCHASE WOULD NOT REPEAT

NOT BE MADE BY THE USG AND THAT THE USG WOULD NOT REPEAT

NOT BE INVOLVED IN ANY PRECEDING NEGOTIATIONS ON PRICES
OR DELIVERY. CHRISTOPHER

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